

**RULES  
OF  
TENNESSEE BOARD OF FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS**

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CIVIL PENALTIES**

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**0660-8-.01 CIVIL PENALTIES.**

- (1) With respect to any person, partnership, firm, association or corporation required to be licensed by the Board, the Board may, in addition to or in lieu of any other lawful disciplinary action, assess civil penalties against such person for each separate violation of a statute, rule or order pertaining to the Board in accordance with the following schedule:

<i>Violation</i>	<i>Penalty</i>
T.C.A. §62-5-317(a)1.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than \$ 200
2.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than \$ 25
3.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than 25
4.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than 25
5.	Nor more than \$1,000 Nor less than 200
6.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than 10
7.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than 25
8.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than 300
9.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than 25
T.C.A. §62-5-317(b)1.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than 300
2.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than 100
3.	Not more than \$1,000 Nor less than \$ 300

(Rule 0660-8-.01, continued)

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| 4.  | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 300 |
| 5.  | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 300 |
| 6.  | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 200 |
| 7.  | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 25  |
| 8.  | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 300 |
| 9.  | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 25  |
| 10. | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 200 |
| 11. | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 25  |
| 12. | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 25  |
| 13. | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 25  |
| 14. | Not more than \$1,000<br>Nor less than \$ 25  |
- (2) Each day of continued violation shall constitute a separate violation.
- (3) In determining the amount of civil penalty to be assessed pursuant to this rule, the Board may consider such factors as the following.
- (a) Whether the amount imposed will be substantial economic deterrent to the violator;
  - (b) The circumstances leading to the violation;
  - (c) The severity of the violation and the risk of harm to the public;
  - (d) The economic benefits gained by the violator as a result of non-compliance; and
  - (e) The interest to the public.

**Authority:** T.C.A. §§62-5-203 and 56-1-308. **Administrative History:** Original rule filed September 22, 1987; effective November 6, 1987. Amendment filed August 30, 1991; effective October 14, 1991.